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AGENT REPORT

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1. NAME OF SUBJECT OR TITLE OF REPORT

**RATHORIN, Rudolf**  
Alleged Eastern Intelligence Agent  
Land Salzburg, Salzburg, Austria

2. DATE SUBMITTED

18 September 1953

3. CONTROL SYMBOL OR FILE NO.

CIC 8-80000 TIK/as

4. REPORT OF PREVIOUS

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On 17 November 1953 Informant 8048 reported to this Agent that the Austrian State Police, Salzburg, Land Salzburg, Austria, had received the following information from a confidential informant: **Rudolf RATHORIN**, born 20 July 1908 in Leoben, Germany, has an oil business and resides at Schlotheimweg 15, Salzburg. He is allegedly working for an unknown Eastern Intelligence Agency and is in contact with USA and ORG. He is a friend of Gertrude Wehrbach, an Austrian Communist Party (Kommunistische Partei Oesterreichs - KPO) functionary. RATHORIN has stated that he is working for NATO intelligence, and that he is in contact with a German intelligence agency. He is currently attempting to make contact with a Western intelligence organization. He makes frequent trips to Switzerland. (C)

Agent's Notes: It is the personal knowledge of this Agent that SUBJECT is a good friend of Richard Ruder-Klatz, a well-known intelligence personality.

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5. TYPED NAME AND ORGANIZATION OF SPECIAL AGENT

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450th CIC Region A (Salzburg)

6. SIGNATURE OF SPECIAL AGENT

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